


IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA
AUGUSTA DIVISION

MINNIE LEE SMITH,)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	
v.)	CV 110-160
)	
MICHAEL J. ASTRUE, Commissioner)	
of Social Security Administration, et al.,)	
)	
Defendants.)	

ORDER

After a careful, *de novo* review of the file, the Court concurs with the Magistrate Judge's Report and Recommendation, to which objections have been filed (doc. no. 20). Accordingly, the Report and Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge is **ADOPTED** as the opinion of the Court. Therefore, Defendant Medicare Appeals Unit is **DISMISSED**, the Commissioner's motion for summary judgment is **GRANTED** (doc. no. 13), a final judgment shall be **ENTERED** in favor of the Commissioner, and this civil action shall be **CLOSED**.

SO ORDERED this 10th day of February, 2012, at Augusta, Georgia.



HONORABLE J. RANDAL HALL
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA